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## <u>INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT</u> UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and 1.97(c)

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Sir:

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The instant Information Disclosure Statement is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) (i.e., after the mailing date of the first action, but before the mailing date of a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.311). Accordingly, the fee of \$230.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) is submitted herewith. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be considered by the Examiner and be made of record in the present application and that an initialled copy of Form PTO-1449 be returned in accordance with M.P.E.P. § 609.

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